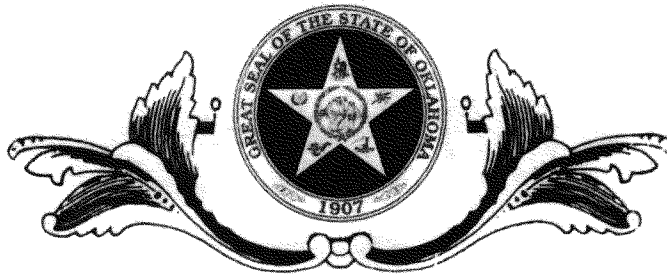


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OKLAHOMA SECRETARY
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Proclamation

Whereas, X-Linked Hypophosphatemia (XLH) is a life-long rare genetic disorder that can affect a person's entire body, specifically their bones, joints, muscles, teeth, hearing and nervous systems; and

Whereas, XLH affects about 1 in 20,000 newborns according to the National Institutes of Health (NIH); and

Whereas, the effects of the disease cause serious and debilitating symptoms that can have major impacts on the lives of those who suffer from XLH and their families; and

Whereas, patients affected by XLH and their families often encounter a variety of problems outside the illness itself, such as difficulty in obtaining accurate and timely diagnoses, finding effective treatment options, and/or being able to afford the appropriate treatment; and

Whereas, XLH is not a curable disease, however, dedicated researchers around the world continue their efforts to understand how genetic mutations work with the hope that a cure will be found one day; and

Whereas, educational programs must be public and constant so that patients and health care providers can be exposed to the most up-to-date information; and

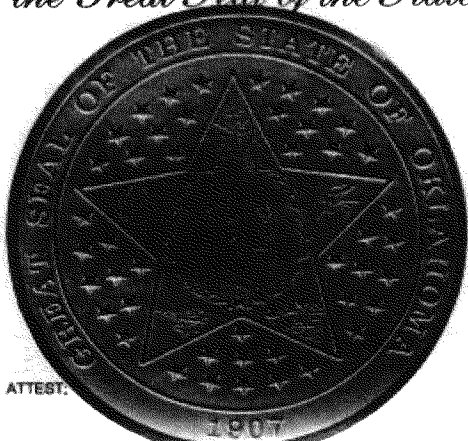
Whereas, the XLH Network, Inc. (www.clhnetwork.org) is a non-profit organization in support of caregivers and patients affected by XLH;

Now Therefore, I, Governor J. Kevin Stitt, do hereby proclaim June 23, 2023 as

"XLH Awareness Day"

in the State of Oklahoma.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Oklahoma to be affixed.



Done at the Capitol, in the City of Oklahoma City, this thirtieth day of May, in the Year of Our Lord two thousand and twenty-three, and of the State of Oklahoma in the One-hundred and fiftieth year.

Brian Blazynski
SECRETARY OF STATE

GOVERNOR

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